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From the Californian, March 15, 1848:
The Liberty of the Press consists in the right to publish the Truth, with good motives and for justifiable ends. —Alexander Hamilton.

Thinking Out Loud

By H. M. L.

A former pilot of the world war dropped into the Nugget office last week. For a number of years he has been occupied in a less spectacular and a much safer business. But he keeps a bright eye and a mind specially trained in martial aviation upon the doings in Europe. It is refreshing to talk with a man who knows the flying business from A to Zed, and who has kept informed of the latest developments in World War No. 2 models of flying ships.

He said: "I never took too much stock in what Lindbergh had to say about German airplanes and flyers. They might be able to turn out thousands of airplanes on their assembly lines, but training men to fly competently is something else again. It ordinarily takes five years to train a man to fly a bomber. Other pilots can be trained in three or four years. Pursuit planes need highly trained men to fly them, it is true, but the heavy bombers that must deliver their loads in a power dive must have pilots, not only with plenty of guts but with plenty of flying experience. **Germany may have** scads of airplanes but I am certain they cannot turn pilots competent to man them in anything like the time required to build their aerial squadrons.

"What German airplanes did in Poland, of course, was an eye-opener to a great many military folks, but what they lost in Poland was altogether too many pilots. They can replace the planes, but they'll have a hard job replacing the pilots they lost. Poland also demonstrated another thing. Even as poorly equipped as the Poles were, their anti-aircraft guns raised merry hell with the Germans. When Hitler promises another lightning war of frightfulness against the Allies, it is probably his last chance, and a mighty slim one, to gain anything, but I will bet my last penny that his air arm will fail him first, because I am certain he has far from enough trained pilots. And since planes are far more effective in reconnaisance, spotting gun fire, and in bombing, straffing, and harrying the enemy generally than they are in bombing big cities and civilians, my guess is that Hitler will not waste many pilots and planes in raiding London and Paris. I suspect, too, that French and British civilian populations are better trained to take bombing than the Germans are. The Germans in the World War never had the frightfulness of war brought home to them, and there is reason to believe they may not relish the taste of it. I feel certain that Herr Hitler may not do as much civilian bombing, as by inference, he promises to do.

"The anti-aircraft gun has been tremendously developed since the World War. They now have guns with multiple barrels that deliver 600 shots a minute effective to a height of 4,500 feet. The explosives used in those shells scatter bits of steel for a quarter of a mile. These projectles don't have to make a bulls-eye in the fuselage or the wings of the plane. If a bit of steel merely nicks the propeller, it is enough to break it, wreck the engine and bring the plane down.

"I have been particularly interested in noting that the Curtis Hawks purchased by the French have given a notaly good account of themselves on the western front where they have proved much superior to the best the Germans have made. They have outflown, outmaneuvered, and outshot the German planes. While Curtis has already produced another Hawk that flies fifty miles faster per hour than the one the French have, the French would be glad to have a few hundred more of the same type they are now using.

"The arms embargo I feel very certain will be lifted just as soon as Congress gets around to voting on it. Our airplane manufacturers in this state and in Washington, are flying their planes, sold to British and French buyers, to Neward, New Jersey, where hangars and warehouses are stuffed with them. They will be delivered abroad in short order the moment the embargo is raised.

"The United States leads the world in the speed and quality of its aircraft, and I haven't a doubt in the world, that when this war is done, our greatest contribution to allied victory, will have been our aircraft delivered to them in immense numbers and of the highest quality and effectiveness."

CULVERT IN LIEU OF DITCH ACROSS PINE STREET

Herb Hallett and his crew have begun the work of removing the ditch at the intersection of Broad and Pine. The ditch did not serve the purpose for which it was intended and it constituted a traffic hazard for autoists.

The ditch was designed to carry the surface water that accumulates on Broad street above the intersection down the street. The volume of water was too much for the ditch to handle.

The gutter along Broad street in front of Schreiber's and Colley's which was filled with cement is being cleaned out and a new gutter pipe has been laid. A new culvert of pipe will be laid and a better grade provided. It is also planned to level off the surface of the street at that point.

GEORGE RETZER HELD IN DOWNIEVILLE JAIL

George Retzer, who confessed to killing Harry E. Boyington, at a mine near Brandy City, is being held on an open charge in the Sierra county jail at Downieville. Because District Attorney A. A. Just was away, the inquest upon the body of Boyington was postponed until this afternoon, according to advices from Downieville.

PROSPECT GOOD THIS WINTER FOR TOURIST INFLUX

The biggest winter tide of recreational motor travel in history is in prospect for the coming season, according to a report received today by the California State Automobile Association from AAA headquarters in Washington, D. C. Highlights of the report follow:

A rising business curve, gain in car sales, and advance routings at AAA motor club travel desks all point to the greatest volume of winter travel the country has even seen.

An important factor is the ending of foreign tourist travel with the outbreak of hostilities in Europe. Overseas travel and cruises result in an annual expenditure of nearly $250,000,000 and more than half of this travel, 54 per cent, takes place during the months of October to March inclusive.

There is no question that many who would otherwise have gone to foreign vacation objectives this winter will plan a trip somewhere in the United States instead, and this cream of the tourist crop will considerably enrich the volume of domestic travel expenditures this winter.

Even without this added impetus, winter vacation travel would promise to be of unusually large proportions. Winter vacation trips have been growing in popularity for a number of years. With closed and heated cars and with roads kept open by snow removal operations, cars are no longer placed on blocks during the winter months in sections where real winter weather prevails. In addition to being used for daily travel during winter, cars are being used more and more for journeying to the warmer climes when sleet and snow start flying.

WOW! BEAR SEASON OPENS

The six day bear season opened yesterday but very few local sportsmen seem to be interested in hunting them, Tracks of brown bear in the nearby mountains have been seen by prospectors and hunters.

Mrs. Pat Bonner returned to her home in Ely, Nevada, today after spending a month visiting her daughter, Miss Patricia Bonner, bookkeeper for the Newmont mining company. Mr. Bonner came over for his wife and was greeting friends in Nevada City this forenoon.

Mrs. R. J. Bennetts was taken by plane to Sacramento Saturday for medical treatment. She has been quite ill for some time.

FISHERMAN SAYS BIG TROUT BIT HIM

H. F. Sofge, secretary of the Nevada City Chamber of Commerce, is nursing a sore finger on his right hand and he maintains one of those rainbow trout, he caught in Scotts Flat dam Friday, bit him. He caught thirteen beauties, one being about 17 inches long. When Sofge landed the big trout in the boat he had to chase him to the end of the boat and deliver a final knockout and it was then Sofge suffered the injury. This fisherman stated that trout had two bicuspeds, two cutters, three stingers, three ice picks and a baleful look in his eye.

HIGHWAY BOARD MEMBERS VISIT SIERRA CO. OCT. 20

It is reported from Downieville that State Highway Commissioners E. Nielson of Fresno and L. G. Hitchcock of Santa Rosa will visit Downieville Friday at a dinner at the St. Charles Hotel, followed by an open meeting at Memorial Hall, discuss the general needs and desires of the people of the entire county. An invitation is extended the general public to attend, and all desiring to make reservations for the dinner at the St. Charles are advised to do so immediately. The dinner will be served at 6:30 p. m.

Immediately following the dinner, the speakers and guests will go to Memorial Hall, where the general public is invited to join in the discussion of Sierra County's highway problems.

P.T.A. INVITES SCHOOL MOTHERS TO MEETING

There will be a special meeting of the elementary P. T. A. next Friday at 2:45 p. m. Mrs. Clyde Gwin, new president, especially wants all new mothers to be present. Reports of the county fair, plans for the coming district meeting and several other matters will be discussed.

Next Friday, October 27 the district meeting will be held in Nevada City. The state president will attend this meeting.

RESOURCES BANK OF AMERICA NOW $1,536,052,999

Bank of America's report of condition as of October 2, 1939, made in response to the call of the Comptroller of the Currency on all national banks, shows substantial gains over the comparable report of September 28, 1938.

Total resources of the bank stand at $1,536,052,999, an increase of $81,007,379 over a year ago. Loans and discounts total $690,382,565, an increase of $56,117,889.

Total of all deposits is $1,399,730,756, which is $69,440,139 higher than a year ago.

Commercial and savings deposits show considerable growth since a call of June 30, 1939, In the three months period, the total of commercial deposits rose $36,417,058, to $481,806,764. Savings deposits rose $11,300,380 to 0694,878,304. Both are new all time high marks in the history of the bank.

Next Sunday Miss Evelyn Bailey and Ernest Young will go to San Francisco for the day and attend the fair. They will be accompanied as far as Pittsburg by Mrs. Gene Gregory, Miss Betty Gregory, who will visit Mrs. Gregory's older daughter, Mrs. James Scheimer and family for the day.

Mrs. Howard Burr attended a bridal shower Friday given by Mrs. Annie Sullivan in Grass Valley in honor of the coming marriage of her daughter, Miss Dorothy Sullivan who is to be married October 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Huy of Adams street had as guests over the week end, Mr. and Mrs. William Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Burns and their daughter, all of Reno. The Burns' are former Nevada City residents and William Burns was employed in the National Hotel at the same time as Mr. Huy, twenty five years ago.

WOMAN BOARDER IN COUNTY JAIL COST TOO MUCH

Mrs. Jean Ogle, who recently tried to set the county court house on fire from her cell in the women's quarters, was back in jail again—but she didn't stay long.

Arrested recently for drunken driving, she plead guilty and was sentenced to 10 days in jail and fined $50 by Judge Miles D. Coughlin. She said her husband was employed at the Zeibright mine but investigation disclosed that this was not a fact.

Since she was unable to pay the fine and she was costing the city $1.00 per day for a matron in addition to board, Mrs. Ogle was released Saturday with the sitpulation that she leave the city.

GOVERNOR MUST "TAKE IT" AS HE "DISHES IT OUT"

By CLEM WHITAKER

Dictators—as long as their armies stand behind them — can "purge" their enemies without risk of reprisals.

But the Governor of California (even though he might like to) can't call out the National Guard when his proscribed victims turn on him.

He's simply got to take it, just as he dishes it out!

That became clearly evident this week as rebellious Democrats in the Assembly, incensed by Governor Olson's threat to purge them, served notice that "one purge deserves another."

And as a consequence, Governor Olson's cohorts, at the impending special session of the State Legislature, are likely to be ousted from every important office in both houses—with Democrats and Republicans in close combine to purge them!

First blood will be drawn, according to present plans, when Speaker Paul Peak of the Assembly—Governor Olson's first lieutenant—will be tossed out in favor of Assemblyman Ray Williamson of San Francisco, liberal Republican. Mr. Williamson received 36 of 80 votes at the regular session and is a cinch to win the speakership from Governor Olson's man at the special meeting unless the governor calls off his war dogs.

Leading up to the present determined drive to strip Olson of all power in the Legislature was the Governor's recent declaration of war on Assemblyman Gordon Garland of Woodlake. Governor Olson's assertion that he would campaign against Garland because the latter opposed his proposal to turn the Central Valley Water Project into a power project—a proposal that was vigorously opposed by water needy farmers throughout the Central Valley area—brought quick action from valley and city legislators who are opposed to emasculation of the big water project. Every Democrat who opposed the governor's bill to turn the vitally needed water project into a gigantic state-owned power development has enlisted in the counter purge directed at the governor. And joining in with them, it is reported, are many economy minded legislators who opposed Governor Olson's new taxation proposals.

Governor Olson, to be sure, can carry out his threat against the lawmakers by campaigning against them next year, but the legislators in the meantime are out for bear—and no fooling! Nor is that all; there's a report along the political Rialto that if Olson goes ahead with his legislative purge plans, certain legislators will take the stump in favor of the Olson recall movement.

One purge, it seems, begets another!

The local P. G. & E. company office is receiving a coat of cream paint and will make a neat appearance when completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Curnow returned last evening from a two weeks vacation in San Francisco. They visited their two daughters and Treasure Island.

Sam Bybee, mining man of this city, returned Thursday from a business trip to the Tehachapi district.

TRAFFIC VIOLATORS SAY "GOOD MORNING JUDGE"

City Judge Miles Coughlin conducted the following traffic violation cases in his court over the week end. Arthur Fadden, claimed to be a radio entertainer was fined $5 for passing over a double line; Millard Hurst, double parking, $5; Edward Ray Hooper, charged with speeding, was certified to the juvenile court as he was only 16 years of age.

ELKS CHARTER MEMBERS HONOR GUESTS OF LODGE

Six charter members who, forty years ago, were inducted into the Elks organization as the first members of Nevada City Lodge, No. 518, B. P. O. E., were guests of honor at an impressive banquet and ceremonies Saturday night when the lodge celebrated its fortieth birthday.

A record breaking crowd from all sections of the state were present to pay homage to the four decades of the lodge's existence and to honor its founders. Present at the fete were charter members John M. Hadley, J. F. Colley, F. L. Arbogast, P. G. Scadden, past exalted rulers, Fred W. Miller and W. L. Mobley. Ralph W. Gaylord, first secretary, was also there.

All of the charter members were presented with buttons signifying 40 years of membership. P. G. Scadden, a past exalted ruler and past district deputy grand exalted ruler, returned to the lodge the American flag he received when he was initiated.

A. B. Snyder, district deputy exalted ruler, was present and made a short speech. Three candidates were initiated into the lodge in beautiful ceremonies.

The lodge was opened and closed with charter members in the chairs.

STATE SUPT. OF BANKS CONDEMNS HAM AND EGGS

E. W. Wilson, California Superintendent of Banks, in a letter to state bankers and their depositors today condemned the proposed Ham and Egg amendment and announced the opposition of the State Banking Department to the scheme.

His complete letter follows:

"A very large majority of those who with an open mind have taken the time and made the effort to study this bill are agreed it cannot work. California banks cannot take warrants, wholesalers will not, members of the Retail Merchants Association therefore say they cannot, and it is obvious that others will not continue long for lack of lawful money.

"The fact that this plan to support those unemployed over fifty will take more money than the total employed in the state earn, is only one of some half-dozen reasons which doom this scheme to bankruptcy. However, no matter what your personal feeling on this sort of relief is, the warrant plan sets up intentionally a smoke screen to cover one of the most serious situations California has ever faced

"As State Superintendnet of Banks I feel it my duty, as well as my personal desire, to be on record in opposition to the plan as a whole and to particularly express the condemnation of myself and the State Banking Department to the following provisions, which, unfortunately, have not been highlighted but which we must face for four years if the measure passes.

"This bill sets up a dictatorship in the hands of a few self-nominated men who cannot be controlled or eliminated until 1944. **It directs** California to turn over immediately to them $700,000 in cash. **It authorizes** them to organize a bank which it becomes mandatory for the state to use as sole depository. (State funds are now under the law depsited with banks and fully secured by high-class bonds and scrutinized by State and National Bank examiners.) **It requires** the State to issue 20,000,000 in bonds, the proceeds of which are to be turned over to them.

"In short, if passed, this bill will turn over all State funds to a bank operated outside the State Banking Laws, by men who are not responsible to any of our regular constituted authorities.

"They cannot be impeached by the peope, controlled by the State Banking Department, the Courts, the Legislature, or the Governor. It does, without question, create a dictatorship in California until 1944. It will produce chaos and is unthinkable."

(Signed) **E. W. WILSON,**
Superintendent of Banks, State of California.

LAST DAY, LUCKY DAY FOR MANY DEER HUNTERS

Deer hunting season ended yesterday with many hunters in the mountains and several bucks killed. "Hunter's widows" who have seen very little of the hsubands during the deer season are breathing a sigh of relief.

A party leaving Nevada City Saturday for Jackson Meadows returned Sunday with two bucks. In this party were. John, Mario and Phil Persiooni, Don Wright, Stanley Yates, Bill Koler, Ralph Fhur, Henry Beck, Bill Hill, Bill James, Al Williams, Angelo Manzinaldi, Charles Ray. Wright and Beck killed a two and three point buck respectively.

Another party of nineteen hunters returned last evening with three deer. Those killing the bucks were Sheriff Carl J Tobiassen, Ray Stedger, Bill Tamblyn. Among those in this party were R. N. McCormack, Noble McCormack, Don, Ray, Carl, and Bob Stedger, Carl J. Tobiassen, Roy McDonaly, Charles Karkling, Clarence Walker, Mike Wyllie, Chas. Williams, Bill Tamblyn, Jr., Bob Tamblyn, D. Bonebrake, Bill Woods of this city and George Coughlan of Auburn.

LATE SOLDIER IS HONORED BY WAR VETERANS

A soldier's burial with full honors was held this morning at 10 o'clock for Donald W. Wade, who died at the county hospital on September 30. Banner Mountain Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, was in charge of the services.

It was not known until after his death that Wade was a war veteran. Fingerprints of the deceased were sent to the Veterans Bureau in Washington. A telegram fom Washington informed Coroner A. M. Holmes that the fingerprints were those of Ralph H. Davis and that he had served under that name in the air corps as a sergeant.

He enlisted in November, 1917, and was honorably discharged a year later.

Officers of the VFW were contacted and arrangements for a military funeral were left in their hands. Two brothers of the deceased were located in Los Angeles but they were unable to attend the services.

Pall bearers were: Guilio Panelli, Frank Musso, William Voitt, and Lee Jeffery, all members of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

CONVENTION OF BUSINESS WOMEN CONCLUDED

The convention of Northern District Business and Professional Women's Clubs ended yesterday with a luncheon at Pioneer Park presided over by Marian Jones, president of the Nevada City group.

The following program was given at the luncheon: address by Marian Jones; response by Ethel Bornevelt, Second Vice President of the Northern District of Business and Professional Women; salute to the flag led by Mariam Skeahan, vice-president of the local club; program numbers of surprises; report of findings of the round-table discussions; close of the convention by group singing of taps.

The business of the final day consisted of round-table discussions held in Hennessy school in Grass Valley and a business meeting also in Grass Valley.

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Helpless Victims If Ham & Eggs Passes

The State Social Service Board has warned the 133,000 old age pensioners that if Thirty-Thursday passes they will be choosing between the present pensions in cash, and the pieces of paper to stick stamps on.

It is a fact that Thirty-Thursday will put an end to the pension system. But it is not a fact that the 133,000 present pensioners will be making the choice. That will be made for them. The 133 000 votes sound like a lot, but they are not enough to decide the election.

The pity of the thing would be that 133,000 old persons who need the pensions they now get would be left destitute. The whole community would suffer, but the aged poor would take the first shock of the blow.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Why Business Against Ham & Eggs

If Ham and Eggs would greatly increase business, as the proponents proclaim, then either the business men are plain dumb or they do not believe it will increase business. Certainly business men would vote for anything they thought would increase business but no business men of any standing is for Ham and Eggs. It is true a few vascillating business men will tell Ham and Eggs people, who are threatening to boycott them that they will take the warrants if they can pass them on. They know, of course, they cannot pass them on and so will not have to take them.

It would seem that the fact that business men are opposed to Ham and Eggs should be evidence to all thinking people that they realize the great damage Ham and Eggs would do to business as a whole.—Santa Ana Register.

Taxes! Taxes! Taxes!

While the date for the special session of the Legislature remains to be set, and the agenda is in the making, the Administration's theme song is so certain that it may already be chanted: "Taxes—heavier taxes—new taxes." Tax proposals defeated last spring will be re-presented—and notice virtually has been served that the demand for $70,000,000 in new taxes, if rejected after a gruelling battle, will be emphatically repeated.

Yet the odds on the outcome seem in favor of those legislators who fought the economy battle for the taxpayers at the regular session and evidently are preparing to resume where they left off. There is less ammunition for the big guns of higher taxes and more spending forces than at any time in the last decade. Times are better. Each week hundreds of men and women are absorbed by expanding payrolls—becoming contributors to further recovery and lightening relief roll costs. Now is the time, of all times, for tax retrenchment rather than tax increases. For industry is still generally anemic. And the policy, pursued so many years, of piling up the tax burden wherever it could be borne, doubling the load where the foundation was least leaky, has penalized numerous groups and organizations to the point of collapse. The red ink is thinner—but it's still red—in too many ledgers of California agriculture; he is still struggling to break even, under the taxes he already pays. All that the beginning of recovery has meant, for instance, to the railroad industry, taxed to the hilt while government subsidies finance transport competitors, is that the deficit to date this year is half the deficit of the corresponding period of last year. So it is with all too many industries and businesses. A beginning is under way on the long road to real recovery. But only a beginning. — Contributed.

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and Stars, Antaine DeSaint Exesprey; Easy to Kill, Agatha Christie; The Dragon's Teeth, Ellery Queen; Escape, Ethel Vance; The Wizard of Oz; L. French Baum; The Pirate of Pooh, and other plays. Marjorie Barrows; The Mason Children, Edith Armstrong; Animals of a Sage Brush Ranch, Alice Day Pratt; Termite City, Alfred E. Emerson; I Am Still Alive, Dick Grace; Tales of India, Rudyard Kipling; American PatrioticHandbook, Anderson's Fairy Tales, Hans Christian Anderson; Grimm's Fairy Tales, Jacob and Wilhelm Grimm; Four Little Kittens, Harry W. Fress; Little Bear's Book, Frances Margaret Fox; and My Favorite Nursery Tales from Mother Goose.

Our gifts are four books from New York for our International Mind Alcove and their titles are Lords of the Sunset, Maurice Collis; Introduction to Argentine, Alexander Williamson Widdell; We Do Not Ask Utopia, Henry and Rebekah Timbers; Norway, Agnes Rothery.

From Marian Gwin we received Under the Rose by Frederick S. Johnson and through the courtesy of Congressman Harry L. Englebright we received Minerals Year Book 1938, Herbert Hughes, from the United States printing office.

NORTH BLOOMFIELD NEWS

Lawrence Collins and Bruce Osborne of Oakland are visiting the Purcell sisters at their Oak Flat gravel mine.

Mrs. Julia Manion spent the past week end in Nevada City renewing old acquaintances.

Mrs. Kate Smythe is visiting her brother and sister in law, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Davidson at their mining property at Snow Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Riley of North Bloomfield are visiting at the home of Mrs. Julia Manion and sister, Miss Mary Purcell.

Miss Iris Murchie, teacher in the Roseville schools, and guest, Miss Marjory Grandland of Oakland, spent the week end in Nevada City with Miss Murchie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Murchie. On Sunday Miss Murchie took her guest to Lake Tahoe for a drive.

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EDUCATION OF CONSUMERS, NEW TREND IN SCHOOLS

The rapid growth of interest in consumer education marks one of the outstanding trends in the changing curricula of the country's schools, according to Dr. Harold F. Clark, Professor of Education at Teachers College, Columbia University, who announced today that inquiries about courses dealing with consumer education have more than doubled since last year.

In response to this increased demand a new heading in the Teachers College bulletin for the winter session, which begins on September 28, lists under Consumer Education six comprehensive courses; House Management, the Cooperative Movement, Housing, Industrial and Commercial Geography, Problems in Textiles, and Standards of Living.

"People are demanding a more realistic approach from the schools to the problem but at present the concepts of consumer education are widely at variance and the schools are not equipped to offer really effective teaching in this field," says Dr. Clark. "Science classes frequently test food products and textiles; mathematics classes sometimes study budgeting; students in English classes analyze advertising; and social studies classes are apt to take up larger aspects of the subject including credit unions, installment buying and the standard of living. However, the increasing interest in the topic, and the response which that interest has aroused from educators and laymen indcates that the study of consumer economies will become an integral part of every school program during the near future."

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SEPT. VISITORS TO CITY LIBRARY TOTAL 1574

Mrs. Iva Williamson, city librarian reports that in September the library was open to the public 24 days. Books borrowed for home use 1790; fiction 1935; juvenile 309; miscellaneous 146; books borrowed from state library 14.

Visitors to the reading rooms 1574; men 386; women 171; boys 586; girls 40; number of borrowers 1071; total attendance 2645; daily attendance 110. Cards issued 6 adult and 12 juvenile, cards cancelled 3 adult and 4 juvenile, a gain of 11 and our present accession 1195.

Books purchased 31; 19 adult and 13 juvenile, books donated 6, books discarded 6; present accession 11,223.

The books purchased are Children of God; Verdis Fisher; Uncle Fred in Springtime, P. G. Wodehouse; Skyward, Richard E. Byrd; Catherine the Great of Russia, Gina Kaws; Ararat, Egin Groseclose; So Stands the Rock, Anne Miller Downes; Murder for the Asking, George H. Cox; Sandra O'Moore, Barrett Willoughy; The Case of the Rolling Bones, Erle Stanley Gardner; The Chip from Scarf, Mignon Eberhart; Charley Manning, Elizabeth Corbett; Six Shotter Showdown, William Colt McDonald; Back Roads, Katherine Hairland Taylor; Dear Deborah, Louise P. Hawck; Watch for the Dawn, Stuart Cloate; Wind, Sand

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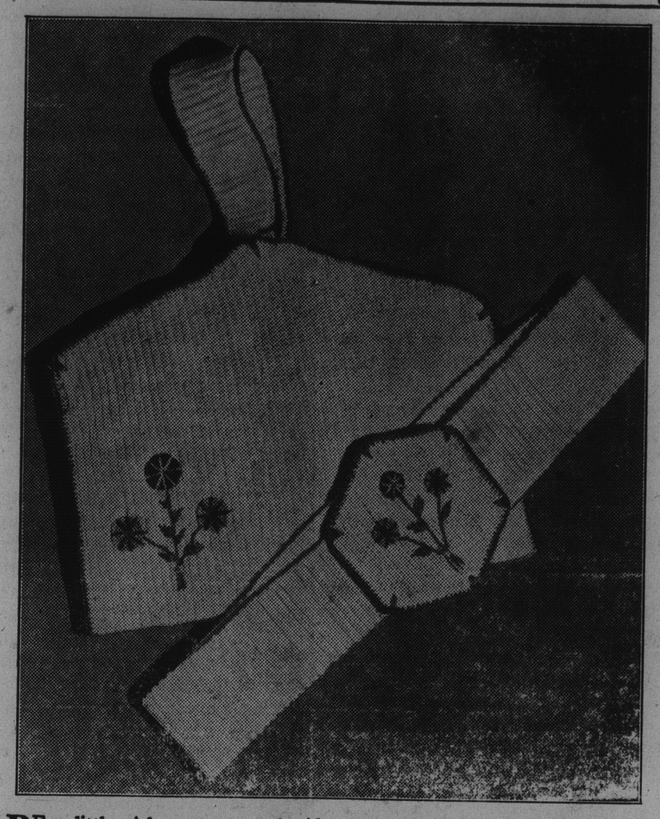

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The many friends of Mrs. Annie Browning of Boulder street, will be pleased to learn that she is recovering from a severe illness.

LEGAL NOTICES

CERTIFICATE OF INDIVIDUAL TRANSACTING BUSINESS UNDER FICTITIOUS NAME

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that I am transacting business at Commercial and Main Streets, in Nevada City, California, under a fictitious name, to-wit: COMPLETE MINE SERVICE BUREAU; that I am the only person transacting the said business under the said fictitious name; that my full name is HAL D. DRAPER, and that my place of residence is Nevada City, California.

Dated at Nevada City, California, this 12th day of October, 1939.

HAL D. DRAPER.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
County of Nevada ss.

On this 12th day of October, 1939 before me, Thomas O. McCraney, a Notary Public in and for the County of Nevada State of California, personally appeared HAL D. DRAPER, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal at my office in the County of Nevada, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

(SEAL)

THOMAS O. McCRANEY,
Notary Public in and for the County of Nevada, State of California.

Oct 16, 23, 30, Nov. 6.

No. 7501
SUMMONS
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF NEVADA.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Nevada, and the Complaint filed in the office of Clerk of said County of Nevada.

H. A. SIEKER, Plaintiff,
vs.
A. O. WITTE, and JANE DOE WITTE, his wife, RICHARD ROE, and SUSIE GREEN, Defendants.

JOHN L. LARUE,
Grass Valley, California, Attorney for Plaintiff.

The People of the State of California Send Greetings to A. O. WITTE, JANE DOE WITTE, his wife, RICHARD ROE and SUSIE GREEN, Defendants.

You are Hereby Directed to Appear, and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Nevada within ten days after the service on you of this Summons — if served within this county; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said Plaintiff will take judgement for any money or damages demanded in the Complaint, as arising upon contract, or he will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the Complaint.

Given under my hand and seal of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Nevada, this 4th day of August, A. D. 1939.

(Seal of the Superior Court, County of Nevada, State of California)

R. N. McCORMACK, Clerk.
By R. E. DEEBLE, Deputy Clerk.
Sept. 11 to Nov. 13 inc.

Health Chats

Prepared by the Red Cross Visiting Nurse

READY FOR SCHOOL

Now that school days are here again, parents are faced with the problem of health in relation to the school attendance. Now is the time above all others during the year, when it is necessary to know the physical state of the child who enters school for the first time. We find the child coming in contact with numerous other children from various homes. If he is to resist the transmission diseases, he must be protected as far as modern medicine can protect him; and his resistance must be developed to the best possible state.

A vast number of children have correctable defects, including infected tonsils, and adenoids, decayed teeth, defects of vision, speech and hearing, minor disturbances of the heart and perhaps beginning disturbances of the lungs. Certainly every child should have a complete inspection before his first year in school and thereafter should be examined at least once each year, preferably just before enterng the fall term. Many a child has to repeat his grades because he has not been able to take full advantage of instruction as a result of correctable defects.

A child's entire future life may be ruined by a sense of inferiority and incompetence, resulting from failure on the part of the parents to provide the child with eye glasses, help to deficient hearing, instruction in speech, care of teeth and similar matters.

It is now possible to make certain that two diseases can be prevented by the use of vaccinations against smallpox and inoculation against diphtheria.

Also parents must do what they can to prevent accidents. Every year hundreds of children are killed or seriously injured in street accidents because they have not been properly taught about such dangers.

When a child leaves home and goes out in the world, he comes in contact with other children who swap apples or candy and play with knives or other dangerous tools. He will meet other boys who like to ride on the back or trucks or street cars. A warning may sometimes prevent this possibility. Children depend on their parents to protect them against hazards until they themselves have learned where health and safety can be found. Parents, do not fai to meet this responsibility.

Mrs. O. Odegaard and son, Jimmie spent the past week end in San Francisco. Jimmie enjoyed his first trip to Treasure Island.

LEGAL NOTICE

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP

NOTICE is hereby given that the copartnership between HAL D. DRAPER and COLE S. NAWMAN heretofore existing under the name of COMPLETE MINE SERVICE BUREAU, at Commercial and Main Streets, in the City of Nevada, County of Nevada, State of California, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

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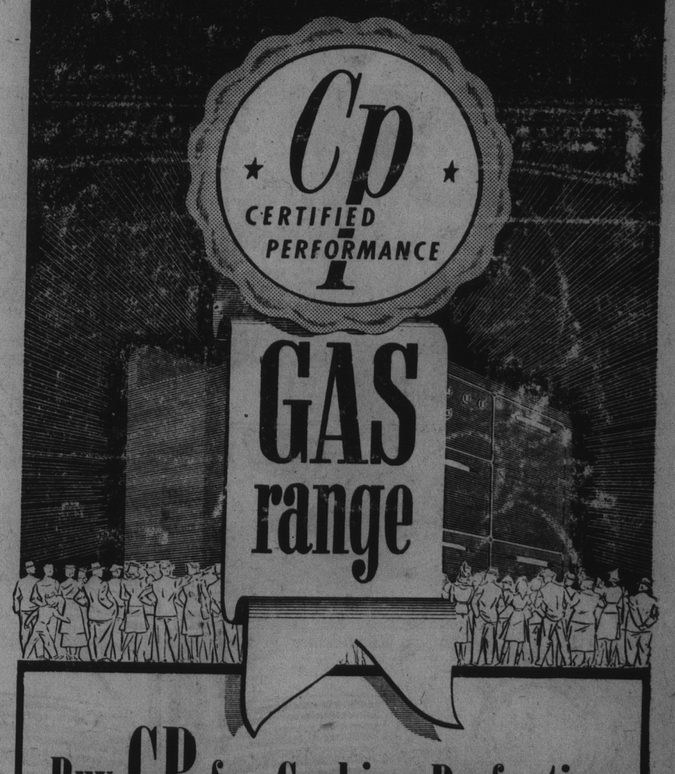

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CAESARIAN OPERATION

Mrs. Cole S. Nawman last night underwent a Casearian operation at the Nevada City Sanitarium. Dr. B. W. Hummelt was the surgeon. The baby is a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Ott returned today from a ten day vacation spent in the northern part of California. They enjoyed a trip to the Lassen volcano and many other spots of interest. It was Mr. Ott's first vacation in three years and was greatly enjoyed.

Jim Stephens, local P. G. & E. employee killed a four point buck Saturday.

Social Events

Miss June Butterworth Weds George Joyal

Miss June Butterworth of Auburn was married Saturday to George Joyal of this city at the Methodist church in Reno by Rev. Carl Schmidt.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Butterworth of Auburn and attended Placer and Los Angeles high schools.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Joyal of Nevada City and attended Nevada City public schools. He is employed at the Zeibright mine.

Attending the couple in the wedding party were: Mrs. Frank Joyal, Mrs. Butterworth and Mr. and Mrs. Fabian Joyal.

After the wedding the party returned to Nevada City where a dinner was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fabian Joyal on Coyote street. The couple will live in Nevada City.

Birthday Party for Miss Cynthia Church

CAMPTONVILLE, Oct. 16.—Miss Cynthia Church celebrated her birthday last Thursday evening with a party at the home of her parents. A chicken dinner was prepared by her mother Mrs. Constance Pfiffer and a number of school mates were invited. After dinner an evening of cards was spent. Prizes were given to the winners, Miss Carmen Cassano, first, Lois Butz second and Leland Pauly the booby prize. The following were guests: Misses Rose Heether, Guyla Tabler, Lois Butz, Maxine Montgomery, Carmen Cassano, Dick Williams Frank Williams, Leland Pauly and David Church.

Elton Kendrick of this city killed a buck in the Mt. Oro district last week.

Mrs. Tillie Schmidt went to San Francisco Saturday and spent the week end visiting her daughter, Mrs. Mary Regan, and husband, and also visited the fair.

Mrs. Martha Dillon of East Broad street spent the week end in San Francisco and attended the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Helme motored to Boyes Hot Springs and returned with their daughter, Mrs. George Caviglia and friend, Mrs. Harvey. They will spend this week at the Helme home in Nevada City.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Osborne had as guests last week, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Richardson, whom they last saw when they were married in Michigan over twenty years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Richardson went to South America to reside and recently came to San Francisco to see the fair and on to visit Mr. and Mrs. Osborne. Happy recollections of old times made the time pass all too quickly. If Mr. and Mrs. Richardson can make arrangements to settle in San Francisco they will move from South America and reside there.

Mrs. W. P. Lee and children left this morning for Shasta City to join Mr. Lee who has just been transferred from the Tahoe national forest service to Shasta national forest.

Mrs. Frank Guenther has just returned from a ten day vacation and visit in Vallejo with relatives and also enjoyed the fair.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

By BARBARA PHARISS

The Honor Society called their first meeting of the year Thursday afternoon. Miss Rector is their advisor.

The meeting was called to discuss a progressive dinner to be held on or near November 2. The food committee appointed was Ruth Mitchell and Pauline Marshall, the entertainment committee Betty Krough, Jack Neal, Elsie Schreiber and Mary Libbey.

GIRLS' TENNIS

The girls have begun their first competition sport of the year, a tennis tournament. There will be both singles and doubles. There was a large signup.

YELLOWJACKETS LOSE

The Nevada City high school Yellowjackets lost their contest with the El Dorado high school at Placerville by 13 to 7. At the beginning of the game, the boys did not seem to have the fight displayed in the previous games, but the last quarters showed they had regained it.

The starting lineup was: left end: Martin; left tackle, Angelini; left guard, Roberts; center, McCartney; right guard, Mitchell; right tackle, Coughlan; right end, Strach; right halfback, Joyal; quarterback, Davis; fullback, Williams and Schmidt, left halfback. Others who played were: Marinkovich, Phillips, Creedman, Engstrom, Ronnigen, and Sprachlin.

Joyal threw a forward pass to Ronnigen, which was completed, and the touchdown made. Williams made the conversion.

So far there is no game scheduled for next Saturday. There remain only three games scheduled with Roseville, the Sacramento Chinese and Grass Valley.

Dick Lane, Tom Kistle, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams and Alvin Kistle of Sacramento spent Sunday hunting dere on the Washington ridge.

Mrs. Juanita Goodwell returned to her home in Turlock after spending a week here with her mother, Mrs. Ellen Walmsley.

Among former residents from the bay district spending the week end in Nevada City were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Ras Rossen, Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Legg and Miss Mary Rossen.

Mrs. Roberta Laffen is showing improvement from a recent serious breakdown which confined her to her bed for a month. She has had to give up her work. Her friends hope for an early recovery.

TWIN CITIES CLOTHING CO. CHANGES HANDS

The firm of Levinson and Snyder of San Francisco have purchased the Twin Cities Clothing store at the corner of Broad and Pine streets and took over the management today. Messrs Jack Grissel and James F. Dolan opened this store in 1930 and have conducted it successfully ever since. Due to ill health the two men are retiring from business but will remain in this city.

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John Grissel, better known to all his friends as "Jack" was born in Washington and came to Nevada City when a young man. He handled a stage route between several of the nearby towns and Nevada City and also assisted his brother, George Grissel in a store in the same site years ago. To the new firm success and the retiring partners good health and luck.

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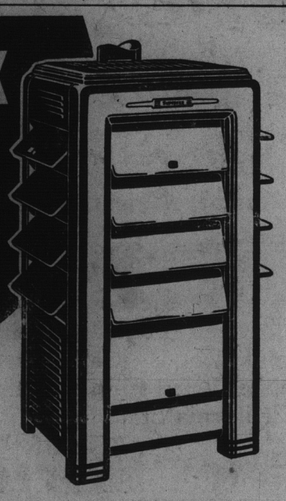

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